

reasonable distance so as to make it possible  
for the first pair to take a circuit twice within  
the very short time that separated the two visits.  
So I should say that this was practically the  
first occasion in the series, when it was made  
quite clear to me that there could be an unseen  
world playing about us unnoticed, so as occa-  
sionally to confound us poor mortals, with its  
sudden and startling  
materialisations. But  
though this was so to say my first initiation,  
practically, and I came to believe in the exist-  
ence of a mysterious world, just for the first  
time in my life it could not as yet be said of me  
that I quite understood their meaning and signi-  
ficance in relation to our earthly life. This time  
also the incident could not make any very last-  
ing impression on my memory, even though the  
two visits were so vividly contrasted on the mind  
screen, as one following the other within such  
a short interval of time; and from this my  
readers will, I think, be able get an idea as to  
how sudden and transient could be

the effects  
of those Supernatural manifestations,  
on *owe*  
normally constituted memory.  
They .seem only  
to affect a particular portion of our  
brain, not